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| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.  | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE  | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED                           |  |
| PCT/IL2003/000878  | 24 October 2003  | 25 October 2002                                 |  |
| STEROID COMPOUNDS COMPRISING SUPEROXIDE DISMUTASE MIMIC GROUPS AND NITRIC OXIDE DONOR GROUPS, AND THEIR USE IN THE PREPARATION OF MEDICAMENTS  |  |   |  |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Abdullah I. HAJ-YEHIA  |  |   |  |
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| <ol> <li>This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> </ol>    |  |   |  |
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| include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.  |  |   |  |
| 4. X The US has been elected (Article 31).   |  |   |  |
| 5. x A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))   |  |   |  |
| a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).   |  |   |  |
| b.   x   has been communicated by the International Bureau.  c.   is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).   |  |   |  |
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| a. is attached hereto.   |  |   |  |
| b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).  |  |   |  |
| 7. x Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))   |  |   |  |
| a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).  |  |   |  |
| b. x have been communicated by the International Bureau.   |  |   |  |
| c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.   |  |   |  |
| d. have not been made and will not be made.  |  |   |  |
| 8. An English language translation   | An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)). |   |  |
| 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).   |  |   |  |
| An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).  |  |   |  |
| Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:  |  |   |  |
| 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.  |  |   |  |
| 2. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.   |  |   |  |
| 13. x A preliminary amendment 33   |  |   |  |
| 14. x An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76 2 pages  |  |   |  |
| 15. A substitute specification.  |  |   |  |
| 16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.   |  |   |  |
| 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.   |  |   |  |
| 18. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).  |  |   |  |
| 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).  |  |   |  |
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